### §490.6

# § 490.6 Petitions for generally applicable rulemaking.

- (a) Right to file. Pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 7191 and 5 U.S.C. 553(e), any person may file a petition for generally applicable rulemaking under titles III, IV, and V of the Act with the DOE General Counsel.
- (b) How to file. A petition for generally applicable rulemaking under this section shall be filed by mail or messenger in an envelope addressed to the Office of General Counsel, GC-1, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585.
- (c) Content of rulemaking petitions. A petition under this section must—
- (1) Be labeled "Petition for Rule-making Under 10 CFR Part 490";
- (2) Describe with particularity the terms of the rule being sought;
- (3) Identify the provisions of law that direct, authorize, or affect the issuance
- of the rules being sought; and
  (4) Explain why DOE should not choose to make policy by precedent through interpretive rulings, petitions for exemption, or other adjudications.
- (d) Determination upon rulemaking petitions. After considering the petition and other information deemed to be appropriate, DOE may grant the petition and issue an appropriate rulemaking notice, or deny the petition because the rule being sought—
- (1) Would be inconsistent with statutory law;
- (2) Would establish a generally applicable policy in an area that should be left to case-by-case determinations;
- (3) Would establish a policy inconsistent with the underlying statutory purposes; or
  - (4) For other good cause.

#### § 490.7 Relationship to other law.

- (a) Nothing in this part shall be construed to require or authorize sale of, or conversion to, light duty alternative fueled motor vehicles in violation of applicable regulations of any Federal, State or local government agency.
- (b) Nothing in this part shall be construed to require or authorize the use of a motor fuel in violation of applicable regulations of any Federal, State, or local government agency.

# § 490.8 Replacement fuel production goal.

The goal of the replacement fuel supply and demand program established by section 502(b)(2) of the Act (42 U.S.C. 13252(b)(2)) and revised by DOE pursuant to section 504(b) of the Act (42 U.S.C. 13254(b)) is to achieve a production capacity of replacement fuels sufficient to replace, on an energy equivalent basis, at least 30 percent of motor fuel consumption in the United States by the year 2030.

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Albuquerque MSA NM

APPENDIX A TO SUBPART A OF PART 490—METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS/CONSOLIDATED METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS WITH 1980 POPULATIONS OF 250,000 OR MORE

Albany-Schenectady-Troy MSA NY

Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton MSA PA

Appleton-Oshkosh-Neenah MSA WI Atlanta MSA GA Augusta-Aiken MSA GA-SC Austin-San Marcos MSA TX Bakersfield MSA CA Baton Rouge MSA LA Beaumont-Port Arthur MSA TX Binghamton MSA NY Birmingham MSA AL Boise City MSA ID Boston-Worcester-Lawrence CMSA MA-NH-ME-CT Buffalo-Niagara Falls MSA NY Canton-Massillon MSA OH Charleston MSA SC Charleston MSA WV Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill MSA NC-SC Chattanooga MSA TN-GA Chicago-Gary-Kenosha CMSA IL-IN-WI Cincinnati-Hamilton CMSA OH-KY-IN Cleveland-Akron CMSA OH Colorado Springs MSA CO Columbia MSA SC Columbus MSA OH Columbus MSA GA-AL Corpus Christi MSA TX Dallas-Fort Worth CMSA TX Davenport-Moline-Rock Island MSA IA-IL Dayton-Springfield MSA OH Daytona Beach MSA FL Denver-Boulder-Greeley CMSA CO Des Moines MSA IA Detroit-Ann Arbor-Flint CMSA MI Duluth MSA MN-WI El Paso MSA TX Erie MSA PA Eugene-Springfield MSA OR Evansville-Henderson MSA IN-KY Fort Wayne MSA IN Fresno MSA CA

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Saginaw-Bay City-Midland MSA MI

Sacramento-Yolo CMSA CA

Rochester MSA NY

St. Louis MSA MO-IL

Rockford MSA IL

Salinas MSA CA

San Diego MSA CA San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose CMSA CA San Juan MSA PR. Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Lompoc MSA CAScranton-Wilkes Barre-Hazleton MSA PA Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton CMSA WA Shreveport-Bossier City MSA LA Spokane MSA WA Springfield MSA MA Stockton-Lodi MSA CA Syracuse MSA NY Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA FL Toledo MSA OH Tucson MSA AZ Tulsa MSA OK Utica-Rome MSA NY Washington-Baltimore CMSA DC-MD-VA-West Palm Beach-Boca Raton MSA FL Wichita MSA KS York MSA PA Youngstown-Warren MSA OH

## Subpart B [Reserved]

## Subpart C—Mandatory State Fleet Program

### § 490.200 Purpose and scope.

This subpart sets forth rules implementing the provisions of Section 507(0) of the Act which requires, subject to some exemptions, that certain percentages of new light duty motor vehicles acquired for State fleets be alternative fueled vehicles.

# § 490.201 Alternative fueled vehicle acquisition mandate schedule.

- (a) Except as otherwise provided in this part, of the new light duty motor vehicles acquired annually for State government fleets, including agencies thereof but excluding municipal fleets, the following percentages shall be alternative fueled vehicles for the following model years:
- (1) 10 percent for model year 1997;
- (2) 15 percent for model year 1998;
- (3) 25 percent for model year 1999;
- (4) 50 percent for model year 2000; and
- (5) 75 percent for model year 2001 and thereafter.
- (b) Each State shall calculate its alternative fueled vehicle acquisition requirements for the State government fleets, including agencies thereof, by applying the alternative fueled vehicle acquisition percentages for each model year to the total number of new light